**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Docket No. P6451-US-NP-0

Applicant: Joseph J. Ervin
Serial No: 09/867,137
Filed: May 29, 2001
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONSTRUCTING WIRED-AND BUS SYSTEMS
Examiner: J. King
Art Unit: 2111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith for filing is the following:

Enclosures

- ☐ Amendment
☒ Petition for a 2 month Extension of Time
☒ Return Receipt Postcard
☐ Other:

Small Entity

- ☐ Applicant/assignee claims small entity status.
☐ Small entity status is no longer claimed.

Fees

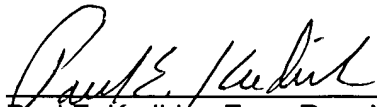
Claims as Filed					
	Claims Filed	Highest Number Paid for	Number of Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fees Due
Total Claims (37 CFR §1.16(c))		- =	0 X	\$50.00 =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR §1.16(b))		- =	0 X	\$200.00 =	\$ 0.00
Extension Fee					\$ 0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity					\$ 0.00
Total Filing Fee					<u>\$ 0.00</u>

Payment

- ☒ Check in the amount of the total filing fee.
☐ Charge Account No. 02-3038 in the amount of the total filing fee. A duplicate of this transmittal sheet is attached.

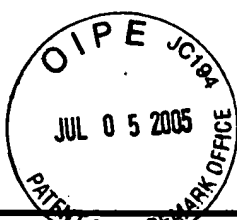
Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 and §1.17 required by the attached paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 02-3038.



Date: 7/1/05

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document is being placed in the United States mail with first-class postage attached, addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on July 1, 2005.

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application up to, and including, July 11, 2005.

Small Entity

☐ Applicant claims small entity status

Extension

The requested extension and the appropriate fee are as follows:

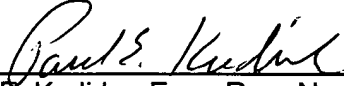
- ☐ One month (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1))
☒ Two months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2)) \$450.00
☐ Three months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3))
☐ Four months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(4))
☐ Five months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(5))
Reduction by one-half for request by small entity

Total Fee: \$450.00

Payment

- ☒ A check in the amount of the extension fee is enclosed.
☐ The extension fee is included in a fee payment made in connection with papers accompanying this petition.

- ☐ Charge the extension fee to deposit account no. 02-3038. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 and §1.17 that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account no. 02-3038.

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